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The Honorable Arthur S. Flemming
Director
Office of Defense Mobilization
Washington 25, D.C.

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Dear Mr. Flemming:

Preliminary evaluations conducted within the representations from each of the major components of this Agency, and by the relocated headquarters as a whole, indicated that the exercise in general was a success. Specifically, it provided an opportunity for examination of the physical facilities of the site in terms of their adequacy for relocation purposes in time of actual emergency. Moreover, there is every indication that the mechanical aspects of the relocation plan are in good order. The plan of the simulated exercises was completely successful, both as a test of the resourcefulness of the organizational units and the people themselves and as a means of determining accurately any deficiencies in planning for substantive operations under circumstances of emergency relocation. For example, the simulated problems provided an opportunity for an analysis of the completeness and accuracy of the records on file in the emergency vital documents repository, as well as the communications, reproduction, and other facilities.

The transaction of live actual business, such as the production of intelligence and the conducting of inter-Agency meetings at the site involving acting in concert with other agencies in transacting actual business likewise proved successful.

Sincerely,

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L. K. White
Deputy Director

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